

## READ Quest Tweens!

### Fantasy & Sci-Fi for 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Barnhill, Kelly      ***Girl Who Drank the Moon*** As Luna approaches her thirteenth birthday she must learn to control her emerging magical powers and protect those who have always protected her. 388p.
- DiTerlizzi, Toni      ***The Field Guide\**** Book One of *The Spiderwick Chronicles* introduces the Grace children and their uncanny adventures with fairies and other magical creatures. 107p.
- DuPrau, Jeanne      ***The City of Ember\**** The underground city of Ember was designed as a last refuge for humans. But when food runs out and the lights start to fail, it's up to two kids to find a way out. 270p.
- Funke, Cornelia      ***Igraine the Brave*** Igraine, who dreams of being a knight, must protect her family's castle and their powerful spell books after her parents accidentally transform themselves into pigs. 221p.
- Gaiman, Neil      ***Coraline*** When Coraline sneaks through a strange door in her new home she finds herself in an alternate world very similar to her own with a mother and a father that aren't quite right. 186p.
- George, Jessica      ***Tuesdays at the Castle\**** Princess Celie lives in a castle that magically transforms itself every Tuesday. When her parents disappear Celie must use the castle's powers to protect her family and her kingdom from invaders. 228p.
- Haddix, Margaret      ***Found\**** Jonah and Chip learn they are part of a government cover-up involving a mysterious airplane full of babies and time travel. Book one of *The Missing* series. 314p.
- Holm, Jennifer      ***Fourteenth Goldfish*** Ellie's scientist grandfather has discovered a way to reverse aging, and has consequently turned into a teenager. 195p.
- Kessler, Liz      ***Philippa Fisher's Fairy Godmother\**** Philippa is taken aback when the new girl at school declares that she is Philippa's fairy godmother, or godsister, since they're both the same age. 274p.
- Lasky, Kathryn      ***The Capture\**** When Soren, a young barn owl, falls from his nest, he is saved by wicked owls and held captive at a strange school for orphaned owls. *Guardians of Ga'Hoole*. 222p.
- L'Engle, Madeline      ***A Wrinkle in Time\**** Meg and her family get a surprise visit from an unearthly stranger from another time dimension and begin an amazing journey. A classic and a Newbery winner. 211p.
- Levine, Gail Carson      ***Ella Enchanted*** In this novel based on the story of Cinderella, Ella struggles against the childhood curse that forces her to obey any order given to her. 232p.
- Lewis, C.S.      ***The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe\**** Four children wander into a wardrobe to the magic land of Narnia and help Aslan, the lion, battle the White Witch. *Chronicles of Narnia*. 206p.
- Mass, Wendy      ***Pi in the Sky*** Joss, the seventh son of the Supreme Overlord of the Universe, must team up with a human girl to re-create Earth when the planet is erased from existence. 244p.
- Mull, Brandon      ***Fablehaven\**** When Kendra and Seth go to stay at their grandparents' estate, they discover that it is a sanctuary for magical creatures and that a battle between good and evil is looming. 359p.

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- Nimmo, Jenny ***Midnight for Charlie Bone\**** Charlie Bone's life undergoes a dramatic change when he discovers that he can hear people in photographs talking. *Children of the Red King*. 401p.
- Scieszka, Jon ***Spaceheadz\**** On his first day at a new school, fifth-grader Michael K. is teamed with two very strange students, who seem to be space aliens needing his help. 163p.
- Yolen, Jane ***Wizard's Hall\**** Henry is not a particularly good wizard, but when his school is threatened by a sorcerer's fearsome beast, it is up to Henry to save the day.

## For Older Tweens (5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

- Alexander, William ***Ambassador*** Appointed Earth's ambassador, Twelve-year-old Gabe must negotiate with a destructive alien force and prevent his parents from being deported back on Earth. 222p.
- Collins, Suzanne ***Gregor the Overlander\**** Eleven- year-old Gregor is pulled into a strange underground world where he embarks on a quest foretold by an ancient prophecy. *The Underland Chronicles*. 311p.
- Flanagan, John ***Ruins of Gorlan\**** Fifteen-year-old Will is rejected by battleschool and becomes the apprentice to the mysterious Ranger Halt. *The Ranger's Apprentice*. 249p.
- Gibbs, Stuart ***Space Case\**** Dashiell Gibson, who lives on Moon Base Alpha, must solve the murder of one of the moon's most prominent doctors. 337p.
- Jacques, Brian ***Redwall\**** When the peaceful life of Redwall Abbey is shattered by the evil rat Cluny, Matthias, a young mouse, determines to find the sword of Martin the Warrior and save his home. 351p.
- Korman, Gordon ***Masterminds*** A group of kids learn they were cloned from the DNA of some of the greatest criminal masterminds in history. 323p.
- Lin, Grace ***Where the Mountain Meets the Moon\**** Minli joins a dragon who cannot fly on a quest to find the Old Man of the Moon. 278p.
- Lowry, Lois ***The Giver\**** 12-year-old Jonas is chosen to be The Giver and learns the secret memories and emotions kept hidden from his perfect society. 180p.
- Paolini, Christopher ***Eragon\**** Eragon discovers a dragon egg and sets out on a quest that may change his destiny forever. *The Inheritance Chronicles*. 509p.
- Sachar, Louis ***Fuzzy Mud*** Tamaya Dhilwaddi and Marshall Walsh take a short cut through the woods and discover a strange substance with the potential to wreak havoc on the entire world. 181p.
- Stead, Rebecca ***When You Reach Me*** 12-year-old Miranda receives a series of mysterious notes claiming to save her life with predictions from the future. 199p.

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